



**Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
Expedited Procedure  
Examining Group 2131**

# PATENT

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 051726-0002

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:**

Jonathan. H. Bari, et al.

Application No. 09/759,225

Filed: January 16, 2001

**For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR SECURE  
REGISTRATION, STORAGE,  
MANAGEMENT AND LINKAGE OF  
PERSONAL AUTHENTICATION  
CREDENTIALS DATA OVER A  
NETWORK**

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) Examiner: C. Revak  
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Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

# **REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION TRANSMITTAL FORM**

1. Transmitted herewith is a Request for Reconsideration in response to the Office Action dated November 23, 2005.
2. Additional papers enclosed:
  - ☒ Declarations Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 with Exhibits A-Q
  - ☐ Citations
  - ☐ Declaration of Biological Deposit
  - ☐ Submission of ☐Sequence Listing☐, computer readable copy and/or amendment pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence.

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3. Extension of Time

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) apply.

- ☒ Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

- ☐ Applicants petition for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Extension</u>	<u>[Fee for Small Entity]</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 430.00	\$225.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: \$ 0.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.

- ☐ An extension for     months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$            is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

4. Constructive Petition

☒ **EXCEPT** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(3).

5. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. 1.16)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid	Present Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	43	Minus	43	0	x \$50 each=	+ \$ 0.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))	2	Minus	2	0	x \$200 each=	+ \$ 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First presentation of Multiple dependent claim(s)					\$360.00	+ \$
<b>SUB-TOTAL =</b>						<b>\$</b>
Reduction by <input type="checkbox"/> for filing by a small entity						<b>- \$ 0.00</b>
<b>TOTAL FEE =</b>						<b>\$ 0.00</b>

6. Fee Payment

☒ No fee is to be paid at this time.

☐ Please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0310 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the \_\_\_\_\_ fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional extension of time fee or additional fee for claims due to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.

Respectfully submitted,

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

In response to the final Office Action dated November 23, 2005, the period for response to which extends through February 23, 2006, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following remarks and reconsideration of this application to place the application in condition for allowance or for appeal.